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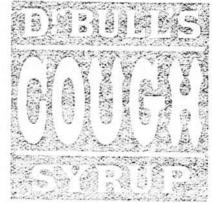
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Si ver and gold are our constitutional money standards. The Constitution impesss upon Congress the duty of providing for the colonge of silver and gold builton in such proportions es will equalize their market value. That duty GRAY HAIR OR WHISKERS changed to a was discharged from time to lime as the rela. Worth the paper and lok it cost, and only useful tive value of the metals required for more than eighty years, and until 1873; when the Consti ration was violated by a law demonstra ag silver have stated in former left as that but very few members in supporting a bill to regulate the Government mints knew that they were in violation of the Constitution, depriving the doubtry of one half of its money power. And President Grant has said that he signed that bill without knowing that its most important off or was to demonstrate effect was to demonstrate effect. The Secretary efthe Treasury, then a member of the Senate and chairman of its Committee on Finance, did not, as far as I can learn, speak to the question. As the time, however, for resumption approached, the people discovered that by somebody's sharp practice to resuming speets payments the taces were to be held down upon a gold grind stone. Silver, until then unknown to the peo-ple and the press, had been demonstrad. Its remonetization was promotly and loadly de-manded. The rapidly developing West, where industry and enterprise were most seriously at feeted, moved with entire massimity. Is our commercial cities however, where "contralists most do congregate" gold, and only gold. was demanded. Londing journals, irrespective of party decounced silver as "soft" money and stigment d is advecates not only as "repudiators" and "is il thousers," but as men accious

to hav houset debte with dishonest money. Happily the anti-silver stampede culminate l several months siece. Reason and common sense are resuming their lost ascendancy over the public misd. The advocates of a single money standard are berning what was so ter selv expressed by ex Secretary McCulloch "that there is set sold example in the world to do the world's business." Germany and Italy ere retracing their steps. Hogland is passion through ordeal. from which her caritalists will emerge wiser if not righer man. Under such suspices, with so much encouragement from sbroad it was enchdency hoped that our own Government would recognize the great and eternal financial tru h that by a law "higher" than those errored on earth, silver and gold were providentially deposited in due perpertions as Smoking and Chowing Tobacco, precious metals to be utilized as standards by which the products of labor are to be valued. In the products of labor are to be valued. In the progress and development of time and precious metals to be utilized as slaudards by AGENT FOR ALLEE'S CITARETTE AND BLACE WELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO TO the timely acquisition of Cal forcia. It was not by accident that all her mineral wealth come to us when it was so much needed. Providence hite, at No. 71 King street, before you buy in providing a new Continent for untold where millions also provided thoughtfully for \$20 PER TON OF 2000 LBS. \$20 Indicates also provided thoughtfully for their welfare and happiness. The earth abounded in all cases and happiness. abounded in all assective elements. Nothing was left to chance eractideat. These Providenlest like and farmers in want had better orlest first at the low price of \$20 per ton of tal laws are casential alike to individual and lestate, and farmers in want had better orlestate, and farmers in want had better orlestate, and farmers in want had better ortial laws are casential alike to individual and appointment in the President's message, and in in the oil extracted (which is said by all chemisto be no fertilizer.) I can refer to those I friends I not only haved but any and a refer to those I friends I not only haved but any and a refer to those I friends I not only haved but any and a refer to those I friends I not only haved but any and a refer to those I friends I not only haved but any and a refer to those I friends I not only have a set of the control of the friends I not only hoped but exp a ed a recignition of the importance of a bimetellic cur-rency. I had hoped that President Hayes and step backward." Then as now, bank notes question by an international conference. The question is spoken of, however, by both "with bated breath" and with such "faint proise" that unless Secretary Evarts moves in it with more heart an enterprise from which so much was expected will collapse. Meantime, instead of recommending the passage of a law authorizing the coinage of the full silver dellar, Seretary Sherman proposes to stop their further coinage, thus vicinally again demonetizing Silver

Nor is this my only disappointment. The movement of Sensior Bayard, promptly acconded by the national bankers and free trade merchants, to deprive "greenback." of their

upon a season of prospority. The palmy future so fell of promise would become as dark as the dreary past. With the aid of silver and green backs resumption and prosperity were accomplished. Now both are to be dispensed with provided the acceptes at work prove strong enough to accomplish their object. We are emitorted, however, in the assurance that Republican members of Congress, so far as Republican members of Congress, so far as guired to thwart a scheme looking to a fraudu-greenbacks are emerged, have wisely deter-mined to resist a scheme fraught with evil, and evil only, to our espectry. The legal tender Union has been thus demoralized. That men as ovid only, to our amortry. The logal tender liberacial policy was, at a season of imminent and immediate peril to our Government and Union, a necessity. It was inaugurated by statesmen who arose to the magnitude of the state-men who arose to the magnitude of the glow in discerning public sentiment, nor when, occasion. Its purpose was, first, to subdue a se in this case, that sentiment was responsive to formidable rebellion, next to aid in the public welfare, did they nesitate to fellow it. return to specie payments, and finally to I cherish a warm friendship for those truly assist in restoring prosperity. The two first object have been triumphantly accomplished, while the third and last finds us in the full tide of specessful experiment. I am to the find and account in the first object and surprise that the full tide of specessful experiment. I am to the first object and surprise that the full tide of successful experiment. I am etc. etc. in siding the resumption of specie pay not forgetting the fact that coin is our only ments in obedience to the Constitution, making constitutional logal tender money. But so silver and gold the standards of value. Nor was svarwhelming omergency and foreseen or provided for forced the Government, in self preservation, to obey that "Higher Law" to which a departed statesman appealed to an earlier crisis. Greenbacks, therefore, cannot remain permanently invested with a legal tender quality without so amendment of the Constitution. No such amendment, however, was contemplated, and yet should the warlars against greenbacks pariake of the malige spirit which marks the ornside against silver, such an amondmont is more than possible. I have held from the beginning of this controversy that when green firmness of the last Coopress in passing the hill backs shell have accomplished their mission remonetizing effect ever an illianged Press, they should be retired. But this should not be done so arbitrarily or abruptly, as by contraction and disturbance, to chill and obcok the returning current of prosperity. Lot the green backs be withdrawn from circulation as rapidly as conside with the healthful condition of our various business interests, filling the vacuum with the notes of our National Books. Meacitse, let the spirit which seeks to deprive greenbacks of their highest attributes be suppreesed. Legal tender grounbacks first pre served our Government and Union, and are now restoring prosperity and conferring happi nted upon our people. The blows simed at our legal tender greenback ourrency, come from what quarter they may, will recoil. If such an issue he forced, the result will not be for a assument dembtful. The prosperity just dawning upon our country and people must not be ruthlessly assailed or retarded. The American people will not tamely and ingleriously consent e be deprived of the best paper currency is the world. Nor can they be hoodwicked, ba-guiled or "build z id" by the meaningless and frothy cant about "hard," "soft" and "hones!"

I execut in any way so differently expense this species of "exet" as by referring to a re-publican meeting at Cooper Institute of last year at which its continue in an opening speech exhibited to the sudience a Continental note, with which the soldiers of the Revolution were paid, in the utter worthlessness of which he found an organient against greenbacks. The chairman of that meeting was outdone if nossible by the distinguished orator who succeeded him, and who produced and fluented before his hearers a Contederate bank note, not as an administra against irred emable pro to pay. The fires and fitness of this argament may be gathered from the fact that the only "promise to pay" then in circulation as money were those of the National Banks and the Govcrament. It is due, however, to the eminent thairman and crator referred to to say that they drew their Guancial inspiration Irom our lead

The action of the Supreme Court of the Usus d States upon the legal tender question is looked for with interest. The Hon. Mr. Obittenden, of Bro klyn, confidently anticipates a decision declaring the notes unconstitutional. Without indulging to speculations I incline to believe that the Court will not only find full occupation, but will best cossult its own digoity to hasring and deciding actual instead of hype thefical cases. Mr. Chittenden, meanting, should coatent himself with irrepressible hoscility in the II use of Representatives to silver and greenbacks.
The coemies of silver are so numerous and

formidable and their misropresentations and perversions are so persistent that it seems co cessary to recall some important facts connected with the controverse. From the adoption of the Constitution until the demonstration of elver, is 1873 the fluctuations in the market value of the precious metals ruled more than half of the time in favor of silver. When demenedized in 1873, Mr. Knox, the Controller of the Currency, informed Congress that silver cois was 3 per cent, higher than gold coin. When the Latin Governmen's established the single standard they commenced selling silver buffing is such quantities as would accessarily diminish its value in the Leadon market. In this country the banks, the espiralists and the press attempted to justify its demonstration by derrociation its value and demanding a disapport from depisitors. Silver coin, therefore, was depreciated by influences kindred to those by means of which gold was appreciated. The moans in be'h cases were actificial and urbiera rg. The oli of abroad and at home was to increase the "purchasing power of gold," or in other words to accure so undue advantage to capital over labor. Until silver was thus artificially depreciated, the coinage relation be tween gold and silver gave us a full silver dollar. When, os in 1878 more silver was required to make its dollar equal to gold, a Republican administration and Republican Senate should have some to the rescue, as the White did in 1837. The Democratic party, in a crisis of commorcial, agricultural and magnification disseter and alarm undr the lead of President Van Buren and Senator Benton, forced an exclusive gold currency issue. It was that well remem bered crisis when specie payment was suspended, emmeren languished, spindles and looms were stopp d and laborers sought in vein for employment, that Mr. Van Baren was credited with saying "that these was traded on berrow the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, ed capital ought to fail." and when the Hon. Samuel Beardsiey, Representative in Congress from Oucida, exclaimed: "Perish commerce, Secretary Sherman would at least be found were denounced and stigmatized as "rag becordially in favor of the adjustment of the silver | bie;" the Democratic party-then all powerful in our State-pass d a law prohibitiog the c'roulation of bank bills under the denomication of five dollars. Then, as now I was ovely, carnest and fearless in resisting that effort to increase the purchasing pow er of gold. The issue, then as now was definity made, and as defiantly met. Upon that issue we elected an ever-whelming strong Whig Legis store in 1837, and in 1838 "Small Bill". Bill" Seward was elected Governor. The Bour-

bons of that day, learning and forgetting nothing, protracted the issue until 1840, when we

cleated a Whig President History, if the Bour-

bons of the present day persist in their warfare

peat itself.

against silver and greenbacks, will assuredly reall times. The fact revealed by the official canvass, that

fully, would suddenly close the broad avenues Greenback candidate for Governor, is a straw of through which our people are joyously entering more than ordinary significance. The Ropublican party should be admonished by the lesson which the war on greenbacks in Meire teaches. That State, reliably Whig and Republican for more than thirty years, has been imperilled, if not lost, by a gratuitous and wanton crusade against groenbacks. That crusade, besides costing Eugene Hale his sent in Congress, preverted a choice of Governor by the people, and, what is still worse, the utmost efforts of Senster Blaine and other leading Republicans are reexperienced and ordinarily as assacious as Sen-ators Hamlin and Bisine should have been so infatuated is "food for reflection." Those on-inent politicians on other occasions were not my surprise diminished in finding the Republicaus of Maine in a falso position upon the green-back question. After four years' experience in "fighting green' acks," the Robel armies sur-rendered. The fight against greenbacks, when-ever and by whomsoever waged, will prove ex-pensive and unprofitable. There is not a loyal or right minded man, woman or child who does not cherish a grateful remembrance of the undeniable fact that "greenbacks" saved our Goverement and Union; and that even now, as "money current with the merchants" they are as precious as silver and gold. Our people, in ob-dience to the Constitution, will consent as rapidly as consists with the general welfare to the withdrawal and cancellation of greenbacks but they will not submit to see them, deprived of their legal tender attribute, converted into Sew York, Dec 15, 1879

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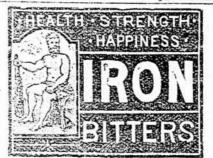
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